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## FIELD NOTES

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Surveys.

East Bdy. T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

Part of S. Bdy. T. 3 N R. 4 E.

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Field Notes  
of the Survey of the

East Boundary and part of  
the S. Bdy. of T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

of the

Base and principal Meridian  
in the

Territory of Arizona  
as surveyed by

Ridgley C. Powers

U. S. Deputy Surveyor  
under his Contract No. 20

Dated January 1<sup>st</sup> 1892.

Survey commenced June 20. 1892  
Survey completed June 22. 1892

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East, and 1 mile of S.  
Boundaries T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

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# List of Names.

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A List of the Names of Individuals employed  
to assist in running, measuring, or marking the  
lines and corners described in the foregoing Field  
Notes of the survey of ~~Exeter~~ and

Sub-division lines of ~~Sp 3~~

At R. 4 E. Sp 4 N.

R. 1 E. and W. 5 - N. R. 1 E.

Silver and Salt-rivers

Base and Meridian

Showing the respective capacities in which they  
acted.

John J. Hill Chainman

Willard B. Hastings Chainman

Matthew E. Gilson Axeman.

Sherman H. Phillips Flagman.

# Preliminary Oaths of Assistants.

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We, John J. Hill  
 and Willard B. Hastings  
 do solemnly swear that we will well and faithfully execute the  
 duties of Chain Carriers; that we will level the chain upon even  
 and uneven ground, and plumb the tally pins, either by picking  
 up or dropping the same; that we will report the true distance  
 of all notable objects, and the true lengths of all lines that we  
 assist in measuring, to the best of our skill and ability and in  
 accordance with the instructions given us in the Survey of the  
 Exterior and Subdivision lines  
 of Tps. 4 and 5 North R. 1 E.  
 and Tp. 3 N. R. 4 E. of the Gila &  
 Salt River Base & Meridian Arizona

John J. Hill  
 Willard B. Hastings

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of

April, 1892

Chas D. Padden  
 Notary Public in the  
 Manicopa Co. Virginia



We, Matthew Gilson Sherman H.  
2c  
Phillips BOOK 1269

do solemnly swear that we will well and truly perform the  
duties of ~~Assessor and Haymen~~

in the establishment of corners and other duties according to  
instructions given us, and to the best of our skill and ability.

~~in the Survey of the~~  
Exterior and Subdivision lines of Tps.  
4 & 5 N. 36th R. 1 E. and Tp. 3 N R.  
4 E. of the Gila and Salt River  
Base and Meridian Arizona

Matthew S. Gilson

Sherman H. Phillips

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of

June, 1892 Chas O. Buder

At my Public office  
Maricopa Co. Arizona



terior Boundaries T. 3 N R. 4 E

Survey commenced June 20<sup>th</sup>  
1892 with an improved Sodar  
Compass with telescope attach-  
-ment, made by Mr L. E. Gurley

At the Cor. to Tps. 2 & 3 N.  
R. 4 x 5 E. Latitude  $33^{\circ} 33' N.$  &  
Longitude  $111^{\circ} 51' W.$  of Greenwich I  
observed Polaris at its eastern  
elongation at 13 h. 24<sup>m</sup> A.M.  
and find its magnetic bearing to  
be  $11^{\circ} 50' W.$

N. end of needle  $11^{\circ} 50' E.$

The azimuth, page 56

Manual  $\underline{1^{\circ} 31' E}$

The sum is the Va.  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$

I lay off the Azimuth to the West  
and mark the true meridian  
by driving a picket 3 Chains  
north of the Cornu.

June 20<sup>th</sup> 1892.

East Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

Chains

At 1 o'clock A.M. June 20<sup>th</sup>

I find the magnetic bearing of  
the line established last  
night to be N.  $13^{\circ} 21' W.$  and  
I also find the mean declination  
to be  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$

I begin at the cor. to sps.  
2 and 3 N. R. Rs 4 & 5 E., which  
is a mesquite post 4 ins. square  
marked

T. 3 N. S. 31 on the N.E.

R. 5 E. S. 6 on S.E.

T. 2 N. S. 1 on S.W. and

R. 4 E. S. 36 on N. W. faces.  
with 6 notches on each edge  
with pits  $24 \times 18 \times 12$  ins.,  
lengthwise on each line N.  
S. E. and W. and a mound  
of earth  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft high 5 ft base

East

Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

Gains around post.

Thence I run

North between Secs. 31 and 36

Va.  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$ 

40.00 Set a mesquite post 3 ft. long  
3 inches square with marked  
Stone 12 inches in the ground for  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. loc. marked  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. on W.  
face, dug pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins. N. &  
S. of post  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft. dist. and  
raised a mound of earth  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft  
high  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft base around post

80.00 Set a mesquite post 4 feet  
long 4 ins. square with marked  
Stone 12 ins. in the ground for loc.  
to Secs. 25, 30, 31 and 36. Marked  
T. 3 N. S. 30 on N. E.  
R. 5 E. S. 31 on S. E.

R. 4 E. S. 36 on S. W. and

Exterior Boundaries of T. 3 N R. 4 E.

Chains S. 25 on N. W. faces, with 5 notches on N. and 1 notch on S edges, dug pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins. in each Sec.  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft dist. and raised a mound of earth  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft high  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft base around post

Land level mesa

Soil loam 1<sup>st</sup> rate

In timber. Dense brush

N. lat. Secs. 25 and 30

Vn.  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$

4000 Set mesquite post 3 ft long  
3 ins. square with marked  
stone 12 ins. in the ground for  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. cor. marked  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. on N.  
face, dug pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins.  
N. & S. of post and raised a

East

Exterior Boundaries of T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

Chains mound of earth 2 ft high  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft  
base around post

8.0.00 Set ironwood post 4 ft long 4  
ins. square with marked stone 12  
ins. in the ground for Cor. to Secs  
19. 24. 25 and 30 marked

T. 3 N. S' 19 on N. E.

R. 5 E. S' 30 on S. E.

R. 4 E S' 25 on S. W. and  
S' 24 on N. W. faces, with 4  
notches on N. and 2 notches on S.  
edges, dug pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins. in  
each sec.  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft dist. and raised a  
mound of earth 2 ft high  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft.  
base around post.

Land level mesa

Soil loam 1<sup>st</sup> rate

No timber. Dense brush.

Exterior Boundaries of T. 3 S. R. 4 E.

Chains. N. Lat. Secs. 19 and 24

N.  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$

400.00 Set a mesquite post 3 ft long  
3 ins. square 12 ins. in the ground  
with marked stone for  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. cor.  
marked  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. on W. face, dug  
pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins. N. & S. of  
post  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft dist. and raised a  
mound of earth  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft high  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft  
base around post from which  
an ironwood tree 6 ins. diam. bre  
N. W. 123 eks dist. marked  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. B.T.

80.00 Set mesquite post 4 ft long  
4 ins. square with marked stone  
12 ins. in the ground for cor. to  
Secs. 13. 18. 19 and 24 marked  
T. 3 S. S. 18 on N. E.  
R. 5 E. S. 19 on S. E.

R. 4 E. S. 24 on S. W. and

East

Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

S. 13 on n. w. faces, with 3  
 notches on N. & S. edges, dug pits  
 18 x 18 x 12 ins. in each sec. 3  $\frac{1}{2}$  ft  
 dist. and raised a mound of  
 earth 2 ft high 4  $\frac{1}{2}$  ft base around  
 post.

Land level mesa

Soil loam 1<sup>st</sup> rate

No timber. Dense brush.

Fluca N. bet. Secs. 13 & 18

Nor. 13° 21' E.

4000 Set mesquite post 3 ft long 3 ins.  
 square with marked stone 12 ins.  
 in the ground for  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. Cor.  
 Marked  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. on W. face, dug pits  
 18 x 18 x 12 ins. N. & S. of post 5  $\frac{1}{2}$   
 ft dist. and raised a mound

Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N. R. 4 E.

Chains of earth  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft high  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft base  
around post

80.00 Set mesquites  $\frac{1}{2}$  ft long 4 ins.  
Spaced with marked stone 12 ins.  
in the ground for Cor. to Sec. 7.  
12, 13 and 18 Braked

T. 3 N. S. 7. on N. E.

R. 5 E. S. 18 on S. E.

R. 4 E. S. 13 on S. W. and

S. 12 on N. W. faces. with 2

notches on N. and 4 notches on

S. edges. Dug pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins.  
in each Sec.  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft dist. and  
raised a mound of earth 2 ft

high  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft base around post

Land level mesa

Soil loam 1<sup>st</sup> rate

No timber Dense brush

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Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N. R. 4 E.,

Claims N. Lect. Secs. 7 and 12

Va.  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$

40.00 Set mesquite post 3 ft long 3  
ins square with marked stone  
12 ins. in the ground for  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. cor.  
marked  $\frac{1}{4}$ s on w. face, dug pits  
 $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins N and S. of post  
 $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft dist. and raised a  
mound of earth  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft high  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft  
base around post

80.00 Set a mesquite post 4 ft long  
4 ins square with marked stone  
12 ins in the ground for cor. to  
Secs 1. 6. 7 and 12 marked

T. 3 N. S. 6 on N. E.

R 5-8 S. 7 on S E

R 4 E. S. 12 on S W and  
S. 1 on N W faces, with 1

notch on N and 5 notches on S

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Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N R 4 E

Chains edges dug pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins  
in each see  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft dist and  
raised a mound of earth  $2$  ft  
high  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft base around post

Land level mesa

Soil loam 1<sup>st</sup> Rate

No timber. dense brush

N. Secs 1 and 6

Va  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$

40.00 Set ironwood post 3 ft long  
3 ins square with marked  
Stone 12 ins in the ground for  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. Cor. marked  $\frac{1}{4} S$  on W.  
face dug pits  $18 \times 18 \times 12$  ins  
N and S of post  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft dist  
and raised a mound of earth  
 $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft high  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft base around

East

Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N R 4 E.

Chains post

80.00 Set Palo Verde post  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft  
long 4 ins square with marked  
stone 12 ins in the ground for  
Cor to Fps 3 and 4 N Rngs 4  
and 5 E marked:-

T. 4 N S 31 on N. E.

R 5 E S 6. on S. E.

T 3 N S 1 on S. W. and

R 4 E S 36 on N W faces  
with 6 notches on each edge

Dug pits  $24 \times 18 \times 12$  ins  
lengthwise on each line N. S.  
E. and W. of post 6 ft dist and  
raised a mound of earth  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft  
high 5 ft base around post

Land level

Soil light gravelly mesa

2<sup>nd</sup> rate

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Exterior Boundaries T. 3 N R. 4 E.

Chains Timber Scattering Palo Verde  
and dense brush

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South Boundary of T. 3 N. R. 48.

June 21<sup>st</sup> 1892

At 12 o'clock M. to day I took latitude and found it to be  $33^{\circ}34' N$  and the variation of the needle  $13^{\circ}21' E$ . I also examined my instrument and found it to be in perfect adjustment.

I found it impracticable to extend the W. boundary further south on account of the precipitous character of the mountains.

I extended the survey of the South Boundary of this Tp, however, as follows:

From the cor. to 3.4. 33 & 34 which is a stone 8x8x6 above

S. Boundary of

ground, and a mound of  
stone alongside and properly  
marked I run

W. bkt. Secs. 4 and 33

N.  $13^{\circ} 21' E.$ .

Our rolling stony surface  
commence to ascend

30.00 After diligent search failing to  
find old cor. I set a stone  
 $12 \times 8 \times 6$  ins  $8$  ins in the ground  
for  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. Cor. marked  $\frac{1}{4}$  on  
N. face and raised a mound  
of stones  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft high 2 ft base  
alongside. Its impracticable.

70.00 Base of mountain. Ascend.

77.00 Top of rocky spur S. E. &  
S. W. 150 ft high and descend.

80.00 30 feet below top. Rock in  
place  $24 \times 20 \times 15$  above

J. 3 N. R. 4 E.

ground which I mark with  
a + at the exact point for  
Cor. to Secs. 4, 5, 32, & 33, with  
4 notches on E. and 2 notches  
W. of cross X and raised a  
mound of stone  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft high  
2 ft base alongside.

Land mountainous

Soil rocky, 4<sup>th</sup> rate

No timber, dense brush

It is impossible to extend  
this boundary line farther  
West on account of the  
abrupt mountains.

This township is located in what is known as Paradise Valley and with the exception of Sec. 31 and part of Sec. 32 is level and very fertile land. It is covered with a dense growth of greasewood, mesquite, palo verde and cat claw brush. As I am to subdivide it I withhold further general description now.

June 22, 1892

U. S. Surveyor-General's Office,

TUCSON, A. T., Jan 28 1895.

The foregoing Field Notes of the Surveys of  
the East Boundary of T. 3 N.  
R 4 E & portion of South  
Boundary of T. 3 N. R 4 E.  
of the - Gila and Salt River Meridian  
in — Arizona ..... executed by  
Ridgley C. Powers

U. S. Deputy Surveyor, under his contract dated

January 1<sup>st</sup> 1892

having been critically examined, the necessary correc-  
tions and explanations made, the said Field Notes and  
the surveys they describe are hereby approved.

*L. W. Manning*  
U. S. Surveyor-General  
for the Territory of Arizona.